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March 13, 1998

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Mr. Vernon A. Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board Washington, D.C. 20423

Re:

New Jersey Transit Corporation (1998-FT-1)

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a), are two (2) copies of a Memorandum of Lease Agreement, dated as of March 13, 1998, a primary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents, and two (2) copies of each of the following secondary documents related thereto: Memorandum of Sublease Agreement, Memorandum of Loan and Security Agreement and Memorandum of Leasehold Pledge Agreement.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed documents are:

Lease Agreement

Head Lessor:

New Jersey Transit Corporation

One Penn Plaza

Newark, New Jersey 07105

Head Lessee:

Wilmington Trust Company, as Trustee

Rodney Square North 1100 North Market Street Wilmington, Delaware 19890

Sublease Agreement

Wilmington Trust Company, as Trustee

Rodney Square North 1100 North Market Street Wilmington, Delaware 19890

Lessee: New Jersey Transit Corporation

One Penn Plaza

Newark, New Jersey 07105

Loan and Security Agreement

Trustee: Wilmington Trust Company, as Trustee

Rodney Square North 1100 North Market Street Wilmington, Delaware 19890

Secured Party: AIG-FP Funding (Cayman) Limited

c/o Maples & Calder

PO Box 309

Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands BWI

Leasehold Pledge Agreement

Pledgor: New Jersey Transit Corporation

One Penn Plaza

Newark, New Jersey 07105

Pledgee: Wilmington Trust Company, as Trustee

Rodney Square North 1100 North Market Street Wilmington, Delaware 19890

A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed documents is set forth on Exhibit A attached to the Memoranda.

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Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$96.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return one stamped copy of each of the enclosed documents to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Alvord

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MEMORANDUM OF SUBLEASE AGREEMENT (1998 9FT 1) 12-20 PM

Memorandum of Sublease Agreement, made and entered into no March 13, 1998 by and between Wilmington Trust Company, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Trustee, ("Sublessor"), and New Jersey Transit Corporation ("Sublessee").

WITNESSETH:

The undersigned have entered into that certain Sublease Agreement (1998 - FT 1), dated March 13, 1998, whereby the Sublessor has agreed to sublease to the Sublessee and the Sublessee has agreed to sublease from the Sublessor certain railroad equipment bearing serial numbers as listed on Exhibit A attached hereto, subject to the term defined in said Sublease Agreement (1998 - FT 1).

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have each caused this memorandum to be duly executed as of the date and year first above written.

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Name:		
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NEW JERSEY TRANSIT CORPORATION		
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On this 10th day of March, 1998 before me personally appeared H. Charles Wedel, to me personally known, who being duly sworn, says that he is the Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer of New Jersey Transit Corporation, that said instrument was signed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors; and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

Notary Public

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY, not in its individual capacity, but solely as Trustee

Name: Emmett R. Harmon Title: Vice President

STATE OF Delaware	.)
New Castle COUNTY OF	<u>)</u>
VICE PRESIDENT of Will said corporation by authority	of March, 1998 before me personally appeared ersonally known, who being duly sworn, says that he/she is the ning Teust that said instrument was signed on behalf of of its Board of Directors; and he/she acknowledged that the ament was the free act and deed of said corporation.

KATHLEEN A. PEDELINI NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission expires October 31, 1998

Exhibit A

The Fifth Third Leasing Company (1998-FT 1)

33.	Car#	Equipment Description
1.	#1364A	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
2.	#1365B	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
2. 3.	#1462A	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
4.	#1463B	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
5.	#1470A	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
6.	#1471B	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
7.	#1408A	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
8.	#1409B	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
9.	#1384A	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
10.	#1385B	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
11.	#1386A	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
12.	#1387B	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
13.	#1474A	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
14.	#1475B	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
15.	#1444A	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
16.	#1445B	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
17.	#1352A	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
18.	#1353B	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
19.	#1476A	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
20.	#1477B	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
21.	#1452A	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
22.	#1453B	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
23.	#1480A	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
24.		Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
25.	#1496A	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars
26.	#1497B	Arrow III multiple unit passengers rail cars